

Attorney's Docket No. 5784-25

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re:

Shirley et al.

Application No.:

09/188,051

November 6, 1998

Group No.:

1654

per 6, 1998 Examiner:

Moezie, F.T.

Filed: For:

COMPOSITIONS PROVIDING FOR INCREASED IGF-I SOLUBILITY

July 9, 1999

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

- 1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of one months to respond to the Official Action dated March 9, 1999.
- 2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

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Ħ	has been filed.

3. Applicant is

\Box	a small entityverified statement attached.
	small entity previously filed.
Ħ	other than a small entity.

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

Total Months Requested	Fee For Other Than Small Entity	Small Entity
one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
two months	\$380.00	\$190.00
three months	\$870.00	\$435.00
four months	\$1,360.00	\$680.00
five months*	\$1,850.00	\$925.00

Fee Enclosed \$110.00

*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.

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Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner For Patents, Washington, DC 20231, on July 9, 1999.

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